



Book 5 u to z

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Words:

u: umbrella, up, under,

v: volcano, violet, vegetables, violin,

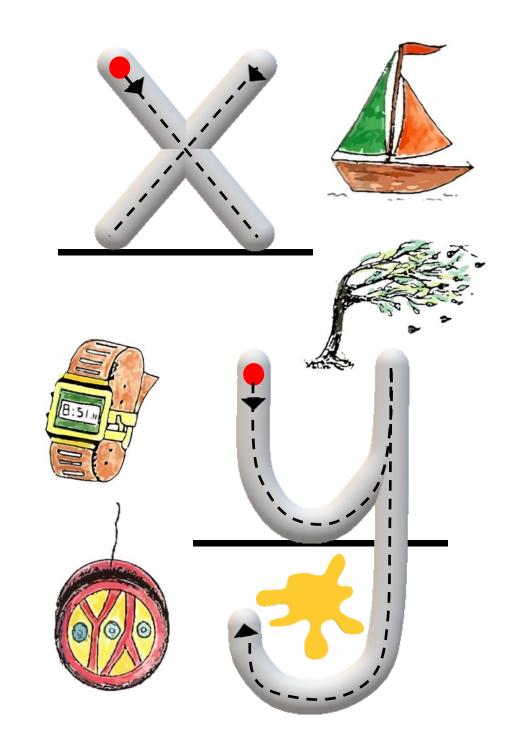
w: whale, well, windmill, watch, wind

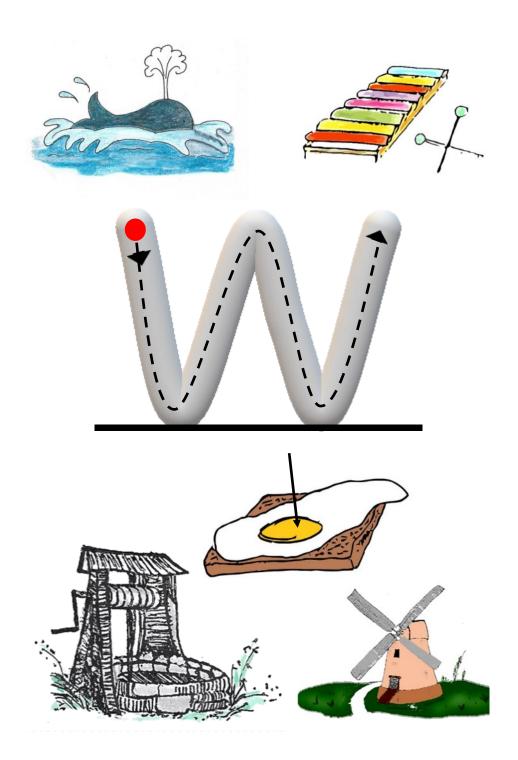
x: xylophone

y: yoyo, yolk, yellow

z: zoo, zebra

(What does web begin with? Can you find the right letter in this book?)





How to use this book:

I. For each letter, introduce the letter by saying its sound clearly and encouraging your child to say it with you.

To hear the sounds, please see:

https://readingmadesimple.weebly.com/level-O---initial-sounds.html

- Trace the letter.
- 3. Then find as many objects as you can that begin with that sound. You may find them anywhere on the double spread of pages.
- 4. Say the names of the objects and listen carefully to the first sound the initial letter. E.g. 'buh' for ball. It sometimes helps to repeat the sound: bbbb-ball.
- 5. Praise your child and do not be discouraged if s/he does not succeed at first. Aim for the child to know the sound each letter makes while s/he learns to hear the initial sound of words.
- 6. Keep your ears open for anything else that begins with today's sound.

